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ALTHOUGH WE AGREE THAT OUR NOT RESPONDING TO THE RTG
NOTE COULD GIVE RISE TO RUMORS AND UNFOUNDED CHARGES OF
RECALCITRANCE, THE FACT IS THAT THE USG IS COMPLYING
WITH BOTH THE LETTER AND THE SPIRIT OF THE THAI DIPLO-
MATIC NOTE OF MARCH 20 AND HAS SO STATED PUBLICLY IN
BANGKOK AND WASHINGTON. WE THEREFORE BELIEVE THAT A
RESPONSE TO THE THAI NOTE AT THIS POINT IS NOT NECES-
SARY AND THAT OUR ACTIONS ARE SUFFICIENT INDICATION OF
OUR GOOD INTENT. KISSINGER

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